

absorbent article is a sanitary towel.

15. (New) Absorbent article according to claim 8 wherein the absorbent article is a diaper.

16. (New) Absorbent article according to claim 8 wherein the absorbent article is an incontinence protector.

17. (New) Absorbent article according to claim 8 wherein the absorbent article is a sanitary towel.

18. (New) A liquid-permeable cover sheet according to claim 1, wherein the polyethylene is metallocene-catalyzed polyethylene.

19. (New) A liquid-permeable cover sheet according to claim 1, wherein the polyethylene is low-density polyethylene, high-density polyethylene or low linear density polyethylene.